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From: StClair, Christie
Sent: Wed 2/3/2016 4:42:52 PM
Subject: RE: Criminal investigation in Flint

Here's what we've used:

To determine what happened and help prevent it from happening again, EPA completed an internal review of the activities leading up to the incident and made those findings and recommendations available to the public. In addition, we have shared our internal review with the Department of Interior (DOI) and the EPA's Office of Inspector General (OIG). The Department of Interior (DOI) and EPA Office of Inspector General (OIG) investigations will help inform how we move forward. We have received the DOI report and are currently awaiting the report on the OIG investigation.

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From: Grantham, Nancy
Sent: Wednesday, February 03, 2016 11:37 AM
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Thanks .. adding Christie – Christie .. can you find our gkm criminal language and respond to all? Thanks ng

From: Conger, Nick
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I'm thinking we say something like: "The U.S. Attorney's Office for the Eastern District of Michigan is leading a criminal investigation regarding Flint, and EPA is assisting. We cannot comment further on this active investigation." And then insert whatever language you guys have used on GKM regarding how we've responded?

Nick Conger

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Thank you. He's writing for 1:00

Monica Lee

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On Feb 3, 2016, at 11:16 AM, Grantham, Nancy <Grantham.Nancy@epa.gov> wrote:

Not that I know of – let's loop in john senn and nick conger ..thanks ng

From: Lee, Monica
Sent: Wednesday, February 03, 2016 11:15 AM
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Do we have any draft responses on a GKM vs flint?

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Begin forwarded message:

From: Ethan Barton <ethan@dailycallernewsfoundation.org>
Date: February 3, 2016 at 11:09:48 AM EST
To: Lee.Monica@epa.gov
Subject: Criminal investigation in Flint

Hi Monica,

I sent an email to the standard EPA mailbox but got a bounce back from Melissa Harrison saying to contact you for questions regarding Flint.

Could you please tell me why the EPA is conducting a criminal investigation regarding Flint, but hasn't launched one for the Gold King Mine spill?

Thank you,

Ethan

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